

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE  
NASHVILLE DIVISION**

PLANNED PARENTHOOD OF TENNESSEE  
AND NORTH MISSISSIPPI; *et al.*,

Plaintiffs,

v.

Herbert H. SLATERY III, Attorney General of  
Tennessee, in his official capacity; *et al.*,

Defendants.

CASE NO. 3:20-cv-00740

JUDGE CAMPBELL

MAGISTRATE JUDGE NEWBERN

**JOINT MOTION TO REOPEN CASE AND LIFT STAY**

The Parties respectfully jointly move this court to reopen this case and lift the stay entered on January 31, 2022. *See* Dkt. No. 110.

This Court stayed all proceedings in this matter until the Supreme Court could issue its decision in *Dobbs v. Jackson Women's Health Organization*. The Supreme Court did so on June 24, 2022, *see* 142 S. Ct. 2228 (2022), and thus the Parties file this notice pursuant to this Court's January 31, 2022 Order.

Because the Supreme Court's decision in *Dobbs* overruled *Roe v. Wade*, it triggered Tennessee's ban on abortion at all gestational ages. Tenn. Code Ann. § 39-15-213. When this ban becomes effective on August 25, 2022, the issues in this case will become moot, and thus the Parties intend to file a joint stipulation of dismissal of this case without prejudice imminently.

Dated: August 23, 2022

Respectfully submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I, the undersigned, do hereby certify that on August 23, 2022, a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served on the Tennessee Attorney General's Office, counsel for all Defendants, via the Court's ECF/CM system.

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